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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: J. Seo
MASAHARU SHIMAKAWA, et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2861
Application No.: 10/579,515	)	
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Filed: May 12, 2006	)	
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AND DATA PROCESSING	:	
METHOD	)	February 6, 2009

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated November 6, 2008, please  
amend the above-identified application, as follows: